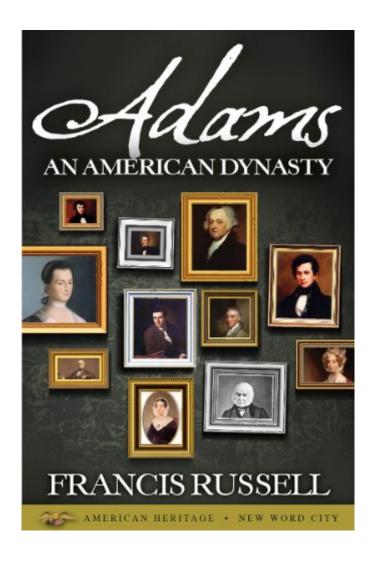


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Interesting book about a family dynasty.d

This intriguing and interesting book offers a comprehensive chapter on a selected prominent member of the incredible Adams genealogy, from our second President, John Adams to his great

grandson, Brooks Adams. The descriptive language keeps your interest throughout even if you're not a history buff. I really enjoyed this book.

My knowledge of the family was limited to the two Presidents. Pleased to meet the following generations. The family has a place of honor in our country's history.

I always sort of glossed over the Adams family when it comes to American history and focused on the big names like Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln, and Roosevelt. This book set me straight. It's a comprehensive story of a family that changed the country and still influences the way we live today (my mother-in-law lives south of Boston so I drive past, and will soon visit a number of Adams-family historical sites). Highly recommended.

I am almost finished with this book. I have found it to be so interesting historically. So many things I remember skimming over in history class, but this book explains in more detail. I have enjoyed the read a lot.

Interesting book, taken from diaries from President John Adams and his son, John Quincy and future sons in government service. They should be emulated and praised. Got confused as to which generation I was reading about towards the end. Needs a family tree in the index.

A good read. The parts on John Adams and J. Q. Adams were quite good. For the rest of the descendants, it was a bit tedious.

A little light in spots, but overall, a very good piecing together of the history of an amazing American dynasty

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